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President—R. S. Law.
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Delegate to Convention of Farmers—F. W. Elliott.

Secretary-Treasurer—J. R. Watt. The financial statement presented by the Secretary-Treasurer was considered very satisfactory as it appeared that all past debts for lumber, bank loans, etc., were cleared so that the Society has a clean sheet to date. The matter of there being still some \$1800.00 of mortgage against the Park Association grounds was discussed and it was hoped that steps could be taken to clear this off as it only meant money being taken out of the exhibition receipts to pay interest which might go into buildings.

Public School Notes

Two new teachers have been engaged, Miss A. L. Ramsey of Red Deer and Miss Nellie Thompson of Bentley. Both of these young ladies have had three or four years experience and are well qualified for the work they have undertaken.

Grade 2 will be in charge of Miss Thompson, Grade 3, 4 and 5 will be divided between Miss Simpson and Miss Ramsey. Grade 6 will be taken by Miss Himes.

owing (a small house) telephone engaged an extra room is required. To meet this need the school board rented the Parish Hall which will be used for the primary class. Parents will please note that all pupils in Miss Porter's classes should go to the Parish Hall.

School opens for the New Year on Monday January 7th.

The following letter has been received which will be of considerable interest:

LEWIS OWEN WILLIAMS, DECEMBER 28, 1917.

CLARESHOLM, ALTA.

DEAR SIR:—We acknowledge your letter of December 24th, together with targets which we have credited as per credit slip already sent. We, however, call your attention to the enclosed target from Geo. Barr, which you will note scores only 49. Barr will, therefore, have to send in one more target scoring 50 or better.

With reference to your standing in comparison with other clubs in Alberta. We may say that your club is doing very well, in fact at the present time it is more active than any other club. We must however tell you that it is practically the oldest club in Alberta and, therefore, has had more opportunity to win. The number of registrations are increasing fast. As a result of this it is going to be one of our most active sections. We are telling you this so that your boys will not shirk us because they may be at the present time ahead of the rest. However, we congratulate you in the work of your boys which is really very good.

Yours very truly,
DOMINION MARKSMAN,
Per Edmund Doreman,
Lawrence Lyndon has won his gold bullet being the first Cadet in Alberta to do so. This involved making ten targets of 55 or over out of 70. His average on the whole was 66.5.

That the Irish are still with us is evidenced by the first Cadet in Alberta to do so. This involved making ten targets of 55 or over out of 70. His average on the whole was 66.5.

W. T. Cochran was a visitor in town on Wednesday.

A New Year Message

Yes, I would like to give you a message for the farmers of Alberta.

We want to make the United Farmers of Alberta the best organization in Canada. We can do that in one way only—by working together harmoniously for the best interest of all.

This involves an intelligent understanding of what is going on about us, and what we are trying to accomplish.

It also involves doing those things which come first.

Our country is at war, and the Alberta farmers are an integral part of our country, hence they are also in the war.

There are three well defined branches in the service of the Allied cause, viz: the military forces, the transportation forces and the producing forces. The military and transportation forces are serving under the greatest hardship and constant dangers. The producing forces are giving a service just as vital to the success of the cause, but this service is given in safety.

We have not been brought to realize the vital need of increased production until the last few months, but now the need is so plain that everyone desiring to do his duty may see it clearly.

The New Year, 1918, calls to every farmer in Alberta to produce every bushel of grain and every pound of wheat he possibly can. Not only must you produce all you can, but you must put emphasis on those things most vital, viz: wheat and hogs. Remember that this is not a matter of profit only, but one of service also. Neither is it a matter of service alone for both wheat and hogs will be profitable where conditions are adapted to their production.

If the members of the U. F. A. will give the best possible service in the matter of production in 1918 they will be worthy of the highest praise. If they do not, it will be less than their plain simple duty.

H. W. WOOD,
President United Farmers of Alberta

Hartwick-Storey

The marriage of Mr. Charles Earl Hartwick, of Lomond, Alberta, to Miss Beril Storey, of Calgary, took place on New Year's day, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert. Rev. W. J. Kidd officiated at the ceremony. Many remembrances from old friends in the Claresholm district were received and several Claresholm people were present, including Messrs Henry and Allen Sharpley, Miss Susie Sharpley and the Messrs Yorgensen. The young couple will reside at Lomond.

Carney-Strangways

The marriage of Clarence Wesley Carney to Edith Margaret Strangways took place on Jan. 2nd, at 3.30 p.m., at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Strangways. Mr. Walter Rice Jones acted as best man, while Miss Ethel Irene Jones was bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Carney will spend their honeymoon in California. Rev. W. J. Kidd officiated at the ceremony.

Sad Accident on Saturday 29th

While riding after the cattle on Saturday evening, Ernest Muckenhies, aged 12 years, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Muckenhies was in some manner thrown from the saddle and dragged by one foot for some distance, sustaining injuries which proved fatal, the lad dying about 12 p.m. Mr. Muckenhies was in town at the time of the accident and was called home by phone.

The funeral took place on New Year's day from R.C. Church, Starley and was attended by practically the whole country and town, showing the esteem in which the young lad and his parents were held. The sympathy of the entire district went out to the bereaved family.



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E.G. BARBER

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Quebec Plans a Boycott

A business boycott against Ontario by people of Quebec has begun according to Le Canada, a Liberal morning published here. The Canada says it knows of a number of French Canadian houses in Montreal who will have no further commercial dealings with Ontario concerns, people who are regarded as the enemy of their race.

Le Canada further contends that the merchants of a whole city in this province have unanimously decided to boycott Ontario establishments and to deal with only Quebec or American firms.

If Quebec is serious in its boycott plans, it will find that Western Canada is prepared to stand by Ontario and can also carry out a boycott of Quebec.

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THE NEW YEAR

New Year's Day was one of the finest of the winter. The snow did appear with the warm chinook winds and the clear blue sky and bright sunshine gave everything a summer appearance. We would like to feel that the first day was prophetic of the conditions that will prevail during the 364 days that are to follow. Everything in Alberta points with promise to another year of abundant prosperity. With abundance of moisture and higher prices for grain and live stock, Alberta should have another banner year and the farmers' wealth should be greatly increased. To those who are intelligent enough to understand the problems that face the world today, this prosperity in our own little province gives but small consolation.

With the greater part of the world still struggling for its existence, and for the existence of everything that is worth while in life, we cannot but look into the future with the utmost concern. If the world is to be saved from famine and if our troops are to be helped on to victory everyone must do his part. The farmer and rancher must produce to the limit of his ability and every man and woman should endeavor to engage in some work necessary to the winning of the war. With the conscription of men and the conscription of wealth, may also come the conscription of labor and in view of the world shortage of food, the governments would be amply justified in conscripting many of the men living in the towns and sending them to work on the farms.

It is pleasing to see the business like way that the United States is taking up the war burden. The latest move in assuming control of the railways is only a beginning. Public ownership of all the natural resources, and public utilities may soon follow. Canada has been slow in adopting war methods. It is hoped, now, that the Union Government will take a lesson from our neighbors, and make war as if we meant it. Few would object to the government taking over the control of the C.P.R. It is never less looked quite reasonable for the government to take over the railways that were on the verge of bankruptcy and leave the most prosperous to private interests. The marvelous natural resources of the Dominion, if developed by the government are sufficient to insure the future prosperity of Canada and pay off our war debt in a short time. We hope to see great changes in the Dominion during 1918. We believe that now is the time to lay the foundations of a more equitable and saner system of government and social order.

Peace, we all long for and hope that this will see the close of the war, but only if Germany is beaten and the aims of the Allies realized. Until then may the war continue.

Alberta Farm Loan Act

War conditions and unforeseen developments incident thereto, prompted the Provincial Government to make a statement of the situation with respect to the operation of the Farm Loan Act which was passed in April last and the matter of bringing it into operation has been constantly before the Government. It will be remembered that up to that time the U. S. had not entered the war and that the American market was then open to the world for borrowing purposes. As soon, however, as the United States joined the Allies, her markets were closed to outside borrowers with the result that our source of supply—one from which in recent years a substantial portion of our horseage had been recruited—was cut off. There remained only the Canadian market and it is hardly necessary to add that the large re-

quirements of the Dominion Government for war purposes preclude our borrowing in that quarter at a rate low enough to make the plan a success.

The main principle of the Farm Loan Act involves the borrowing and the re-lending of money with a percentage added to cover administration charges, and it will be seen that to insure effective results a continuous supply of money at a reasonable rate of interest is essential. The Government has, therefore, determined that in the interests of the farmers themselves, the present is not an opportune time to commence the loaning of money under the Farm Loan Act, and it has been decided to postpone its operation until conditions become more normal.

Plea for United Canada

A plea for a "United Canada," a condemnation of intolerance and an urging of harmony, are the features of a strong New Year's declaration by H. W. Wood president of the United Farmers of Alberta, and head of the Canadian Council of Agriculture. Mr. Wood was requested by The News-Telegram to say a word of greeting at this New Year season. His response breathed a great desire for harmony and tolerance in the following words:

"You ask me for a New Year's greeting. What kind of greeting can I give you this terrible New Year? Our nation is at war. We are fighting for a principle and we say that principle is righteousness and truth. We have passed through a great political election, in which we have said many things about each other which the apostles of righteousness and truth should not say. Inconsiderable has stalked among us in all of its unlovely hues, and there is no greater enemy to the welfare of our nation among us; none that would do more to destroy our country. Can we not see Canadian, while fighting the enemy without, make common cause against this enemy within our gates? Yes, the greeting I will offer is one for a United Canada. Each dealing in all sincerity with all his fellow countrymen, trying with all his might to lead, not drive, his brother up out of the error of intolerance. It is the divine way—the only way."

Letter From Sapper E. H. Sage

SOMMERIEUX IN FRANCE, NOV. 27TH

DEAR FOLKS:—Received your great tonight at A1 condition. I received a nice parcel from Claresholm Red Cross Society, containing one towel, pair socks, candle, box obo cubes, cake, package chewing gum, 2 bars chocolate, tin Borden's condensed coffee and some tobacco, (which I gave to my chum). You were asking me what kind of a parcel is best to send, the above mentioned is a fine assortment (except the tobacco). The condensed coffee comes in very handy when I come in about midnight from a long, cold ride, and it is possible to get, take a tin can full of water, hold it over a candle till it boils and then add a teaspoonful of the coffee. The result is quite an agreeable mixture, commonly called coffee by the soldiers. This along with a piece of cake from home, or if you have no cake, a hard tack makes an agreeable lunch.

The reason I asked about the Stanfords is because some of this issue gives me a pain. The last pair I got would fit "left" if he would add an extension of about a foot, made of cheese cloth too, but it is on our orders lately that we are to be given some heavy underwear so everything will be jake.

Say, this is the best war I have ever been in. I am glad I enlisted when I did. The O.C. has built a fine little billet for me. I need a good place when I come in at 2 a.m. though I am still at the same old work, carrying digstones which is getting worse every day as the roads get more slippery and muddy. My rank is Sapper not 'Tie.

Well, I will close wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

From your son in France.

E. H. SAGE

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Remember Christmas is soon here and you are wondering what to get that is useful and will be appreciated. The Aladdin is what you are looking for. Drop me a line or phone 710, Starley.

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AUCTION SALE

of Town Property

Pursuant to the Order of the Court in certain action in the Supreme Court of Alberta, Judicial District of Medicine No. 1451 there will be offered for sale by public auction in front of the Court House in the town of Claresholm, in the Province of Alberta, on Saturday, the 12th day of January A.D. 1918, at the hour of 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon the following lands and premises: 1-14-22-20-21 and 22-20-22-21 in Block No. 19, Plan 14-2-N, Claresholm. Twenty-one (21) and Twenty-two (22) in Block No. 19, Plan 14-2-N, Claresholm. The purchaser of the above lands is to be bound by the original Certificate of Title and the existing Certificate of Title.

The vendor is informed that there is on the above described property a one and one-half storey frame house, single roof, 24 x 18, a barn 16 x 22 and that the property is fenced.

The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid which has been made by the Court.

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Claresholm Local News

Remember the auction sale at W. Rick's on Jan. 8th.

The price of furs show an advance in price from 1 to 75 per cent.

Elmo Jones left on Saturday night to visit his parents at Stajadale, Sask.

Mr. Avill and family left on a visit to Washington last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Reimie, of Calgary, spent the week-end with Mrs. E. Jones.

John Stevenson has purchased a fine home in Vancouver and will reside there in future.

G. P. Stewart and family left for Courtwright, Ont. last Friday. They will probably return in the spring.

S. Hillier leaves next week to complete his course at the Edmonton University.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurie Walland and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Maxwell left this week for a trip to the States.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lepard are visiting in Washington for a few weeks.

Born last week, to Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, daughter of Mrs. T. W. Nowlin, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Louganen spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. George Barber, and left for their home at Deloraine, Manitoba, on Thursday.

W. C. Brown, of Wainwright, visiting in town last Friday and Saturday. He left Saturday night for Moosejaw to visit his father.

Word was received last week of the death of Mr. John Simpson, of Peterboro, Ont., father of Mr. Geo. Simpson, of Claresholm, at the age of 77.

R. Larkin wishes to notify ratepayers to clean up their back premises. No quarter will be given delinquent rates after Jan. 15th.

Automobile licenses will be issued in a few days by R. E. Moffat. There has been some delay in getting the necessary equipment, but cars can be run on the old licenses until the new ones are served.

A. E. Strange has arranged to conduct sales every Saturday afternoon, in the warehouse opposite the Wilton Hotel, commencing at 2:30. Anyone can list articles for sale by sending the clerk or auctioneer.

Miss L. School arrived in town from Minneapolis on New Year's day. She has accepted the position of stenographer at the School of Agriculture, in place of Miss Moir who has just left.

Mr. John North was in town on Tuesday night to have a battle with a trip to Nova Scotia and Eastern States. He expressed himself as highly pleased at the thoroughness with which Uncle Sam was preparing to prosecute war.

The Seed Fair of the Claresholm Agricultural Society will be held in the L.O.O.F. Hall, Claresholm, on Tuesday, Jan. 22nd. A splendid list of prizes are being offered which should help to stimulate an interest. Every farmer should be ambitious to gain a reputation for having pure seed and A1 products.

Serge J. A. Harrison, No. 5228th, of the 21st Battalion, wishes to thank the Red Cross of Claresholm very much for the lovely box, and wishes to thank Mr. McKinnon for the lovely cake enclosed in same and which was highly appreciated, when he was in the trenches by the boys and himself.

Our editor and business manager, R. K. Peck, left on Thursday evening on the excursion train to California. During Mr. Peck's absence all business connected with the News will be handled by Mr. R. K. Peck. Advertisers will be transacted by Mr. Chamberlain at the printing office. A. E. Strange will act as news reporter during the absence of the editor.

Lieut. Prices, of Nanaimo, spent New Year with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Shearer. They were neighbors some years ago in Melita, Manitoba. Lieut. Price has won his promotion from the ranks at the front where he has spent 20 months. He has been through many of the worst fights of the war and so far has escaped with one slight wound.

Most of our returned veterans bring the same message of the impregnable of our western battle front.

Two hundred big guns per mile in the estimate given by a returned soldier, this week. It's a bad plan, however, to be too cock sure. Over-confidence has cost us a battle. Extra vigilance is the price of victory.

W. Funk left this week for a trip to California.

W. G. Moffat left on Monday for a visit of the Southern States.

The public schools will open on Monday next. Pupils are notified to be on hand at 9 a.m.

Miss Chute of the public school staff, has resigned and gone to Medicine Hat.

R. S. Law has taken a furnished house in Calgary and will spend the balance of the winter there.

Miss E. Albright, of the Wetaskiwin school staff, spent the holidays with Principal and Mrs. O. Williams.

The following citizens left on the Claresholm excursion train Thursday night: Jas. McKinnon, J. M. Sobr, R. K. Peck, A. L. Foster, T. P. Gibble and wife, Maurice Wall and wife.

On Thursday evening, January 10th Mr. J. R. Watt will give a lecture in S. John's Parish Hall on "The Canadian North West 1870-1917."

The United States Government has taken over the control of all the railways in the country during the war. Competition will thus be eliminated and the whole railway system organized at once to serve the national interests. If the plan works out as successful as is expected, there will be a night train should be proposed later on to allow the lines to revert to their former private individual management. Now would be an opportune time for our Union Government to take over our Canadian railways.

S. D. Annual Meetings

The annual meetings of the ratepayers of the following school districts are announced:

Prinzie View—Monday, Jan. 7th, at 1 p.m.

Northern Light—Saturday, Jan. 5, at 1 p.m.

Star Line—Thursday, Jan. 10th, at 2 p.m.

Gain Belt—Saturday, Jan. 12th, at 2 p.m.

Meadow Creek Ripples

Mr. and Mrs. Levy leave on Friday for the "Hat", after an enjoyable visit with friends and relatives on the Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart gave a party on Friday evening to all the young people on the Creek.

The evening was spent in games, dancing and singing. Miss Bessie G. Bell, returned two solos very ably and Miss Francis gave a solo, which was highly appreciated. Mr. Cody also favored the crowd with a song and a little nine verses, in which everyone joined in on the chorus.

It seems the girls are a trifle shy about using make-up, but the boys need no coaxing, do they?

The recent chinook has offered some of the young people the pleasure of boating instead of skating during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lane spent the holidays with friends in Calgary.

Mr. Cody returned from the South on Friday, where he has been looking into a business proposition. He was accompanied back with his family.

Mr. R. J. Vance spent Christmas holidays in Calgary.

Miss Maud Bell returned to Taber on Sunday, after brief holidays on the creek with her parents.

Miss Anna de Forrest is spending her holidays with her people and with friends.

Remember the Masquerade Ball at Carleton on January 5th. Everyone come and bring a partner, if you can.

An enjoyable evening was spent at Mr. and Mrs. Hart's on Monday, watching the old year die, and the New Year come in. Dancing, cards, games and music were the order of the night.

The French have made some gains in Italy, recapturing lost territory and taking 100 prisoners.

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And everywhere that Mary went That cold was sure to spread.

It followed her to school one day;

'Twas not against the rule;

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The teacher tried to drive it out,

She tried hard, but—kachoo

It didn't do a bit of good.

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For particulars apply to the undersigned. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

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German Intrigue

Washington, Dec. 31.—Insultuous efforts of the Germans to involve the United States and the entente allies in the peace negotiations being conducted with the Russian Bolsheviks have developed to such a stage that, in the opinion of some officers here, notice of the propaganda must be taken and an attempt made to neutralize it. If the British and French governments are to meet in Paris soon, the proposals of the Bolsheviks to participate in the negotiations, as has been reported by a leading conservative British newspaper, they will act in accord with the agreement rigidly adhered to by all the entente allies until the defeat of Russia, not to entertain any peace proposals from the enemy without consultation with each other. In diplomatic circles here today it was said that any decision from such a meeting would be promptly laid before the American state department.

Offer Any Inducements

Germany is believed to be prepared to offer almost any conceivable bait to an individual enemy in order to drive a wedge into the allies and cause its disruption and, having succeeded measurably with Russia, is trying to get that nation to influence her late allies. Rumors that have related for the last fortnight to the effect that an other peace proposal was about to be launched by the central powers, either through the Vatican or some neutral state, are believed to have their foundation in the attempt of the German negotiators to use the Russian delegates for that purpose. But in either case, if there is to be another peace proposal through those channels, it is believed in some quarters that the time is ripe now for a strong and well-considered declaration by the entente powers and America that will effectively anticipate and counter this attack. A dispatch was published by the state department that President Wilson at ready has twice announced his terms. Therefore, it is assumed that if Lloyd George and Georges Clemenceau after consulting the spokesmen of the entente allies decide that reply shall be made to the German proposal that reply must be made by the American chief executive.

Have Reached Limit

General staff officers here are understood to attach great significance to the present attitude of central Europe, and believe that the entente powers to force the entente powers into peace negotiations. To their mind it is a clear indication that the entente military leaders have now accomplished all that they feel capable of doing in the field. They can "hold out" for a long time, it is suggested, but they can not extend their fields of occupation without an enormous

loss of men and time at the risk of a terrible defeat. Therefore, the Russian diplomats seek to realize everything possible from what the German armistice have done and the French negotiations are the first steps toward that end.

Driven Across the River

Another reverse for the Teutonic allies following that effected by the French troops in their initial drive on the northern front in Italy has been brought about by the Italians in a sharp attack in the famous Zenson loop.

Eastern Position Cleared

Here the enemy has been driven to the eastern bank of the stream from positions he had held since the Italians in their retrograde movement from the Isonzo made their stand along the western shore of the Piave. Thus the entire right bank of the Piave has been cleared of the invaders, except far to the north, where the battle line runs westward from the stream through the hill region.

Suffered Severely

The fighting for the Zenson bridgehead has been in progress since last Thursday, the Italians keeping after the foe in order to regain the position, which always has been considered a menace to Venice. Heavy losses were inflicted on the enemy by the artillery and rifle fire by the Italians before he was forced to recross the stream. The official statement reads: "The Austrian last night were compelled in consequence of Italian operations to abandon the Zenson bridgehead, where they had a lodgment on the western bank of the Piave river, and passed to the eastern bank of the river, the war force reports. All the Zenson bend is now held by Italians. The text of the statement follows: 'At Zenson the Piave, owing to our pressure begun on Thursday and continued without occupation, the enemy last night was obliged, after having suffered heavy losses, to abandon the bridgehead and to pass again to the left bank of the river. All the ground in the bend is now held by Italians. 'On the remainder of the front, the artillery action of both sides generally was moderate. Our artillery showed more activity on the Asiago plateau, and the enemy's guns increased their fire in the Monte Tonale area. 'Last night enemy armor attacked the aviation camp of Isonzo, and the present attitude of central Europe, and believe that the entente powers to force the entente powers into peace negotiations. To their mind it is a clear indication that the entente military leaders have now accomplished all that they feel capable of doing in the field. They can "hold out" for a long time, it is suggested, but they can not extend their fields of occupation without an enormous

National Y. M. C. A.

ENTIRE CLARESHOLM REVIEW-ADVERTISER, I shall be glad if you can find space in your next issue to publish the names of the subscribers to the National Council, Y. M. C. A. fund, as per list attached hereto. It will be seen that the total amount of cash subscriptions received at today's date amounts to \$2,629.50. There are still unutilized promises to the extent of \$107.00 in my possession, and although the fund still remains open indefinitely to receive these subscriptions, it would be matter of pleasure to the Y. M. C. A. at Calgary if the parties represented in the unutilized promises could see their way clear to make their payments at early date.

Thanking you in anticipation,

Yours faithfully,
O. D. Walker,
Local Treasurer

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Austro-Hun Peace Terms

London, Jan. 1.—The British government recognizes that the great peace proposals constitute a grave and new fact of which official cognizance must be taken, says the Daily Chronicle in reporting, as did the Manchester Guardian that the British Government intends to return a serious and reasonable reply to the Austro-German peace terms when presented officially. The Chronicle adds that Great Britain, France, Italy and the United States are exchanging views on the proposals. The reported Premier Lloyd George is an intelligent anticipation which may or may not be realized.

CHEERFUL MESSAGE COMES FROM FRANCE

Paris, Jan. 1.—Premier Clemenceau has given this New Year's message to the Paris Journal: "I know my position! Because 'I know our politics; because I know their chiefs, clear-sighted and realistic; because I know our steadfast at work; because our enemies now put all their hopes of peace in the hands of the Paris Journal. The action of the Russian Maximilians has few more strong efforts. The road is straight. I sight the goal!'

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The others, a musical instrument resembling the guitar, mentioned in Macabees iv. 64, employed by the Chaldeans, was probably introduced by the Hebrews after their return from the Babylonian captivity.

